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AGENT FOR PROMOTING HGF PRODUCTION COMPRISING HEPARIN-LIKE OLIGOSACCHARID

HEPARIN-LIKE OLIGOSACCHARIDES Mail Stop: AMENDMENT

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 THE COMMISIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 19, 2007, the period for response having been extended for one-month by the attached petition, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

Applicants hereby elect without traverse the invention identified as Group II, claims 12-22.